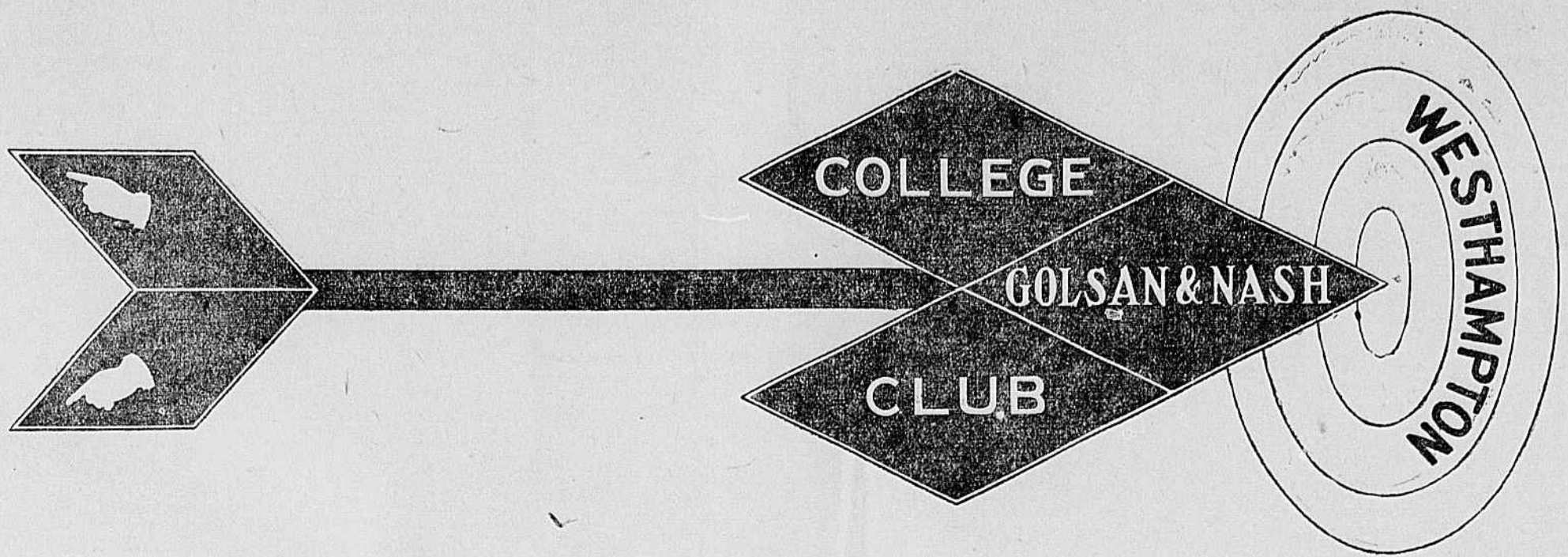


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POWELL MURDER TRIAL STARTS TO-DAY



JUDGE GEORGE E. WARD,
Who is Presiding.

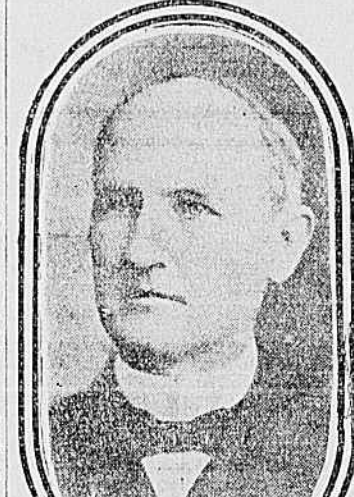
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Weldon, N. C., March 30.—At 9 o'clock to-morrow morning, in Halifax Superior Court, the trial of E. E. Powell, the Scotland Neck merchant, who shot and killed Chief of Police C. W. Dunn on March 4, will be placed upon trial to answer the charge of murder. Judge George H. Ward, of Elizabeth City, the presiding judge of the March term of Halifax Superior Court, arrived to-day, and is ready to take up the case promptly. It is learned today that ex-Governor C. B. Aycock is sick at his home in Raleigh, yet, with his law partner, Judge R. W. Winston, and Gay & Midyette, of Northampton, the defendant will have counsel fully able to take care of the interests of their client, and it is not believed that the absence of Governor Aycock, in the event that he is not able to attend court, will interfere with the trial, but that it will begin as soon as court is in session.

Solicitor John H. Kerr, of Warrenton, district attorney of the Second Judicial District, is prosecutor, and he will be assisted by Walter E. Daniel, who was for twelve years solicitor of the Second District, and who is now regarded as one of the leading prosecuting lawyers in North Carolina.

Indorsed for Superior Court Judge. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Winston-Salem, N. C., March 30.—The local bar association met to-day and adopted resolution indorsing J. C. Buxton to succeed Superior Court Judge E. B. Jones, resigned. A copy of the resolution was forwarded to Governor Kitchin.



SOLICITOR KERR,
Chief Prosecutor.



FORMER GOVERNOR AYCOCK,
Counsel for Defense.

MOUNTAIN FIRES RAPIDLY SPREAD

Entire Countryside West of Wardsville May Be Burned Over.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Winchester, Va., March 30.—Both sides of the Great North Mountain, near Wardsville, Hampshire county, W. Va., are afire, and practically every man of that town has responded to the appeal for assistance in fighting the flames, which have been spreading rapidly since last night. Late messages from Wardsville state that all farmhouses and barns on the eastern side of the ridge are in imminent danger, and unless more men respond the entire countryside west of Wardsville will be burned over.

The loss to mountain timber already amounts to thousands of dollars, and fire is still spreading. Many people living in the vicinity are preparing to move out and flee to places of safety.

Extensive Fires Raging. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Wytheville, Va., March 30.—Extensive forest fires are raging on Lick Mountain, a few miles south from Wytheville. Owing to the excessively dry weather, it is destroying everything within its reach and its course will not be stayed so long as anything combustible is in its way. There is slight prospect of rain tonight, which is earnestly hoped for.



HON. WALTER E. DANIEL,
Assisting Solicitor.

RETURNING TO AMERICA.

Ill Health Causes Dr. Sheppard to Give Up Missionary Work.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Staunton, Va., March 30.—Rev. William H. Sheppard and wife, noted missionaries of the Southern Presbyterian Church on the upper Congo in Africa, are returning to the United States, having sailed two weeks ago on account of Dr. Sheppard's health, which has become seriously impaired by repeated attacks of African fever. It is not known whether Dr. Sheppard will give up the work permanently or rest up and return to Africa.

Dr. Sheppard has spent twenty years on the Congo, and in many ways is regarded as the most effective and successful missionary of the present generation. His wife has spent about fifteen years in Africa. Their children, born in Africa, are here at Dr. Sheppard's old home attending school, and in the care of relatives.

Real Estate for Sale.

Mayo Salvage Corporation, Auctioneers, 1102 E. Main.
We sell in our warehouses, 1102 East Main Street, at 10:30 A. M.
THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 1910.
75 cases standard brands Tomatoes, 17 cases Soap, 35 cases Apple Butter, 13 cases Candy, 60 boxes Cheiving Gum, 50 kits Herring Roe, 20 cases Shou Polish, 10 cases Stove Polish, 10 cases Starch, 3 cases Sauvo, 10 cases Tomato Pulp, 8 boxes Mustard, 10 cases Prepared Mustard, 3 cases Stock Food, 10 cases Codfish, 20 caddies Cheiving Tobacco, 10 cases Tomato Catsup, 5,000 Cigars, 50 pounds Smoking Tobacco, a large stock of groceries in broken lots, Showcases, Oil Tank, Computing Scales, Coffee Mill, Counters, etc.
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Auction Sales, This Day.

COMMISSIONER'S AUCTION SALE
LOT AND FRAME DWELLING ON VENABLE STREET. LOT AND FRAME DWELLING ON ST. JAMES STREET. AND LOT AND BRICK DWELLING ON FIRST STREET.

By virtue of a decree of the Law and Equity Court of the city of Richmond, entered on the 23d day of March, 1910, in the suit of William B. Pizzini et als, vs. Gaskins, et als, the undersigned special commissioner will sell at public auction, upon their respective premises, on
MARCH 31, 1910,
at 4 o'clock P. M.

house and lot known and designated as No. 1350 Venable Street, Richmond, Va., fronting 19 feet on the north side of Venable Street, and running back about 150 feet, with frame dwelling of five rooms.

At 5 o'clock P. M.
house and lot No. 711 St. James Street, fronting 15 feet, more or less, on the east side of St. James Street, and running back about 70 feet, with frame dwelling of four rooms.

At 5:30 o'clock P. M.
house and lot No. 818 North First Street, fronting 15 feet on the west side of First Street, and running back about 60 feet, with brick dwelling of four rooms.

TERMS: Cash.

JOHN P. LEARY,
Special Commissioner.

I. P. P. Winston, clerk of said court, certify that the bond required of the special commissioner by the decree in said cause of March 23, 1910, has been duly given.

Given under my hand this 23d day of March, 1910.

P. P. WINSTON, Clerk.

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Real Estate Auctioneers,
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MRS. E. ROTTGHEIMER, NO. 319 EAST CLAY STREET, AT AUCTION.

THURSDAY, MARCH 31ST,

commencing at 10:30 o'clock, and consisting of Fine Old Walnut Frame Library Suit, upholstered in leather; Oak Bookcase and Secretary, Oak Roll Top Desk, Revolving Bookcase, large Plate Glass Mantel Mirrors, Handsome Paintings, Steel Engravings and Etchings, Fine Walnut Library Tables, Handsome Overstuffed Silk Brocade Parlor Suit, Brass and Onyx Table, Fine Old Brass Cornices, Beautiful Figures, Ornaments and Brice-a-Brac, Gold Leaf Chairs and Rocker, Fine 12-foot Walnut Dining Table, eight Dining Chairs, Side Table, Velvet Carpets for rooms, halls and stairs; Handsome Tapestries and Portieres, Burntwood Chairs and Tabourettes, very Handsome Ebony Parlor Cabinet, Polished Oak Bedroom Suit, with large Plate Mirrors, Wardrobe to match; Oak Library Table, Mahogany Writing Desk, Beautiful Enameled Iron Bed, with Enameled Cliftonner and Dressing Table to match. Separate Bureaus, Wardrobes, Beds, Chairs, Rockers, Tables, etc., etc. Ladies especially invited to attend this sale.

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TWENTY THOUSAND SHOCK BINDERS, TOGETHER WITH THE PATENT.

As secretary of the American Shock Binder Corporation, I will offer for sale, at auction, on
TUESDAY, APRIL 5, 1910,
at 10 o'clock A. M.

in the front of the City Hall, on Capitol Street, Richmond, Va., the letters patent of the Pontiac Shock Binder, together with about twenty thousand shock binders, of which about three thousand five hundred are assembled and the balance are complete in parts. This tool is valuable to all farmers, and the patent rights should attract investors.

I will gladly give information to any prospective buyer prior to the sale.

ALLEN G. COLLINS, Secretary,
Merchants National Bank Building,
Richmond, Va.

Real Estate for Sale.

Main Street Corner

THREE WELL-BUILT BRICK STORES.

Rental, \$1,500

Price, \$15,500

BROOKE, MONCURE & CARTER,

1009 E. Main Street.

FOR SALE,

\$15,500

Main Street, between Fifteenth and

Seventeenth, Three-Story Brick Building, renting for \$1,200 per annum. This property is in good condition and is a good buy.

Henry S. Hutzler & Co.,

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\$2,250

will buy 508 Miller Avenue; an up-to-date seven-room house, in first-class condition; modern conveniences; 50-foot front by 120 feet deep. This is a bargain.

VAUGHAN & WILLIAMS,

Tenth and Bank Streets.

Real Estate for Sale.

23x135 Feet

NORTH SIDE CARY STREET.

between Boulevard and Mulberry.

\$27.50 PER FOOT.

BROOKE, MONCURE & CARTER,

1009 E. Main Street.

FOR SALE,

40 Foot Lot on

Main Street

not far from Robinson Street.

ONLY \$37.50 PER FOOT.

BROOKE, MONCURE & CARTER,

1009 E. Main Street.

Real Estate for Sale.

Hanover Street

North side, corner lot, 316x175 feet

to alley. For quick sale \$35 per foot.

VAUGHAN & WILLIAMS,

Tenth and Bank Streets.

FOR SALE,

Beautiful County Place

of 126 acres, half of which is in good

cultivation, with a nice orchard; five miles

from the city, on the Broad Street

Road; large, comfortable dwelling,

beautifully situated in a shady yard,

with nice lawn; bath, with hot and

cold water.

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